

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE: NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION OPIATE  
LITIGATION

This document relates to:

MDL No. 2804  
CASE NO. 1:17-md-2804-DAP

*City of Jacksonville v. Purdue Pharma L.P., et. al.*,  
Case no. 3:18-cv-751-J-32PAB, from the  
United States District Court for the  
Middle District of Florida,

Judge Dan Aaron Polster

N.D. Ohio MDL No. 1:18-op-46120-DAP

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**MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL**  
**FOR DEFENDANT MICHAEL BABICH AND NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF**  
**COUNSEL**

COMES NOW, P. Matthew Luka, attorney for Defendant Michael Babich, and hereby moves to withdraw as counsel on his behalf in the above-captioned case and for the MDL in total. Attorney Russell Piccoli of Piccoli, PLC hereby gives notice of his substitution as counsel for Michael Babich in the above-captioned case and any other cases in this MDL. Mr. Piccoli's contact information is set forth in his signature block below. Mr. Babich has been informed of this change in representation through Mr. Piccoli pursuant to Local Civil Rule 83.9, and Mr. Babich has no objection to the substitution of Mr. Piccoli for Mr. Luka as his counsel of record.

WHEREFORE, P. Matthew Luka respectfully requests the Court terminate his representation of Defendant Michael Babich and substitute Russell Piccoli as counsel of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on November 4, 2019, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court by using the CM/ECF system which will send a notice of electronic filing to the parties of record.

/s/ P. Matthew Luka  
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